

AGENDA
Monroe County Green Initiative Task Force
June 22, 2009

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- I. Roll call
- II. Agenda approval
- III. Development of strategy for obtaining federal stimulus money

A. John Hammerstrom:

The U.S. EPA has released the first portion of its Rapid Deployment Energy Efficiency (RDEE) Toolkit Planning Guide to help states, local governments, and other program administrators design and implement effective energy efficiency programs under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA). The Planning Guide provides key information on the following 10 energy efficiency programs with proven track records across the residential, commercial, and industrial sectors:

- Home Performance with ENERGY STAR
- ENERGY STAR Labeled Products
- Residential Efficient Heating and Cooling
- Residential Energy Audit and Direct Installation
- Non-Residential On-Site Energy Manager
- Non-Residential Prescriptive Rebates
- Non-Residential Retro-commissioning
- Non-Residential Benchmarking and Performance
- Non-Residential Custom Incentives
- Commercial Food Service Efficiency

The Guide presents information that can be used to select and plan for any one of these programs or for the development of a portfolio of these programs, including details on the target audience, likely near-term penetration rates, average energy savings per participant, annual program costs per participant, and the number of jobs created.

***Implementation Guide

The U.S. EPA has also released the RDEE Toolkit Implementation Guide – Phase I. The Implementation Guide provides states and local governments with the information that they need to

prepare and implement RDEE programs, both individually and as part of a portfolio of programs. It is being released in two phases:

Phase I (available now)

- Program/portfolio benchmarking
- Overview of strategies for customer targeting and marketing
- Training needs and resources overview

Phase II (available June 2009)

- Marketing strategies and tactics for each RDEE program
- Examples of and links to specific trainings
- Templates of and links to RFPs and proposal evaluation matrices
- Detailed program timelines
- Measurement and verification details.

Visit www.epa.gov/cleanenergy/energy-resources/ee_toolkit.html to learn more about the RDEE Toolkit and to download the Planning Guide or Implementation Guide. The RDEE Toolkit was developed through a joint effort of EPA and the U.S. Department of Energy, with technical input from the Leadership Group of the National Action Plan on Energy Efficiency

B. Jedd Regante - Monroe County as a FGBC Certified Green County. (see attached- and please review per request of Chair)

- IV. Review of BOCC item status – (July meeting) – Nat Cassell**
- V. General Discussion – members**
- VI. Set next meeting**
- VII. Adjournment**